

THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicants:

Chomik et al.

Serial No.:

09/639,508

For:

VENT DISC FOR BABY BOTTLE AND METHOD AND

APPARATUS FOR MANUFACTURE THEREOF

Filed:

August 16, 2000

Examiner:

Dexter, C.

Art Unit:

3749

Attorney Docket No.: 460.1891USV

COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS Washington, D.C. 20231

Dear Sir:

RESPONSE TRANSMITTAL FORM

Transmitted herewith is a response to an Office Action mailed July 17, 2001 in the above-identified application.

Petition for extension of time pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.136 and 1.137 is hereby made if, and to the extent, required. The fee for this extension of time is calculated to be \$ to extend the time for filing this response until

The fee for any change in number of claims has been calculated as shown below.

CLAIMS AS AMENDED						
	Claims Remaining After Amendment		Highest Number Previously Paid	Present Extra	Rate	
Total Claims	27	Minus	20	7	x \$18.00	\$126.00
Independen t Claims	4	Minus	3	1	x \$80.00	\$80.00
MULT	IPLE DEPENDENT	CLAIM FEE			x \$	270.00 = \$
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The total fee for this amendment, including claim changes and any extension of time is calculated to be \$ 0.



A check in the amount of 0 is attached.

X The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees under 37 C.F.R. §§1.16 and 1.17 which may be required with this communication or during the entire pendent of the application, or credit any overpayment, to **Deposit**Account No. 01-0467. A duplicate copy of this Form is enclosed.

August 16, 2001 Date

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Dear Sir:

This is in response to the Office Action (Paper No. 6) mailed July 17, 2001 for the above-identified application.

REMARKS

Claims 14-16, 18-20 and 24-26 are pending in this application. Claims 17, 21-23, and 27-40 were non-elected, with